

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Public hearing #2006-010

A public hearing will be held by the Tennessee Division of Water Pollution Control on Thursday, November 9, 2006 at 7:00 P. M. Central Standard Time at the Monteagle City Hall; 16 Dixie Lee Avenue Monteagle, TN (Tennessee) 37356-4022. The public hearing is to discuss the proposal by New Life Development, Inc. for the filling of wetlands and relocation of streams associated with the golf course construction at the proposed Tribute Golf Course at Cooley's Rift. The project requires a water quality permit from the state of Tennessee under *The Tennessee Water Quality Control Act of 1977*.

Issues raised in the request for the hearing include the adequacy of the compensatory mitigation, ecological impact and the potential for rare and endangered species, adequacy of water and wastewater facility, and ground and surface water contamination.

Persons wishing to comment on or object to the proposal are invited to deliver oral or written comment at the public hearing. The hearing officer will limit testimony to relevant water quality issues and may limit testimony in the interest of time, however, all persons desiring to speak will be afforded an opportunity to do so. Written testimony will be accepted for at least 10 days following the hearing and will be considered part of the official record. The public is also invited to submit comments in writing to the Division of Water Pollution Control at the address printed below. The comments must be received by Friday, September 30, 2005. After considering all public comments, the division will publish a final permit decision and a notice of the division's determinations.

Individuals with disabilities who wish to participate in these proceedings (or to review these filings) should contact the Tennessee Department of Environment and Conservation to discuss any auxiliary aids or services needed to facilitate such participation. Such contact may be in person, by writing, telephone, or other means and should be made no less than ten days prior to September 20, 2005, to allow time to provide such aid or services. Contact the ADA Coordinator at 1-866-253-5827 for further information. Hearing impaired callers may use the Tennessee Relay Service (1-800-848-0298).

The permit application and supporting documentation are available for review at the division office during business hours at the following address:

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